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THEREFROM  
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The undersigned is the attorney of record. The statutory disclaimed fee of \$65 is authorized to be charged to deposit account no. 07-1137. Any fee deficiency is authorized to be charged to deposit account no. 07-1137.

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Respectfully submitted,

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